

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of the Claims

CLAIMS

1. (previously presented) A method for setting up a voice call over internet, comprising the steps of:

initiating an internet voice call to a called device;

determining whether the called device is already connected to the internet;

initiating a PSTN telephone call with associated caller ID information to the called device, if the called device is not already connected to the internet; and

connecting the called device to the internet in response to the associated caller ID information.

2. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the associated called ID information is a predetermined caller ID number.

3. (previously presented) A method for setting up an IP voice call through an IP network, comprising the steps of:

initiating an IP voice call to a called device;

determining whether the called device is connected to the IP network;

initiating a PSTN telephone call with a distinctive ringing pattern to the called device, if the called device is not already connected to the IP network; and

connecting the called device to the IP network in response to the distinctive ringing pattern.

4. (previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the distinctive ringing pattern is different from the ringing pattern of a regular PSTN telephone call.

5. (currently amended) A method of ~~indicating that an Internet communication has arrived at~~ for receiving an IP voice call for a receiving device for a device connected to a PSTN line, comprising the steps of:

receiving an IP voice call through an IP network, if the receiving device is connected to the IP network;

connecting the device to the IP network in response to:

a. receiving a PSTN telephone call comprising at least one of: a distinctive ringing pattern, and a caller ID information telephone number through the a PSTN line;

b. comparing the received caller ID information with telephone number with a predetermined caller ID information telephone number, when caller ID information is received ;

c. connecting through the IP network to establish the IP voice call in response to at least one of: the distinctive ringing pattern, and if the received caller ID information telephone number matches the predetermined caller ID information telephone number, then there is Internet communication waiting to be processed.

Claim 6 (cancelled)